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CHAPTER 112

SENATE BILL 1048

AN ACT

AMENDING SECTION 41-704, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES; RELATING TO THE EMERGENCY
TELECOMMUNICATION SERVICES REVOLVING FUND.

(TEXT OF BILL BEGINS ON NEXT PAGE)

1 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:

2 Section 1. Section 41-704, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to
3 read:

4 41-704. Emergency telecommunication services; administration;
5 revolving fund

6 A. The director of the department of administration shall:

7 1. Adopt rules and procedures for administering and disbursing monies
8 deposited in the emergency telecommunication services revolving fund, and at
9 least quarterly review and approve requests by political subdivisions of this
10 state for payment for operating emergency telecommunication service systems.

11 2. In fiscal year 2001-2002 and every two years thereafter, recommend
12 to the legislature the amount of the telecommunication services excise tax
13 that will be required during the following two fiscal years for purposes of
14 this section, with supporting documentation and information. The legislature
15 shall review the recommendation and take legislative action regarding the
16 recommendation.

17 B. An emergency telecommunication services revolving fund is
18 established to be administered by the director. The fund shall be used for:

19 1. Necessary or appropriate equipment or service for implementing and
20 operating emergency telecommunication services through political subdivisions
21 of this state. Priority shall be given to establishing emergency
22 telecommunication services in those areas of the state that are without
23 emergency telecommunication services.

24 2. Necessary or appropriate administrative costs or fees for
25 consultants' services, not to exceed ~~three~~ FIVE per cent of the amounts
26 deposited annually in the revolving fund. ~~For fiscal years beginning after~~
27 ~~June 30, 2001,~~ The department may use up to two-thirds of the ~~three~~ FIVE per
28 cent of the amounts deposited annually in the revolving fund for
29 administrative costs. The remainder of the ~~three~~ FIVE per cent may be
30 allocated for local network management of contracts with public safety
31 answering points for emergency telecommunication services.

32 3. Monthly recurring costs of emergency telecommunication services,
33 including expenditures for capital, maintenance and operation purposes.

34 4. A wireless carrier's costs associated with the provision,
35 development, design, construction and maintenance of the wireless emergency
36 telecommunication services in an amount that the wireless carrier has not
37 recovered through the deduction mechanism specified in federal law.

38 C. At the end of each fiscal year, any unexpended monies in the fund,
39 including interest, shall be carried over and do not revert to the general
40 fund but shall be applied to the extent possible to reduce the levy under
41 section 42-5252, subsection A for the following fiscal year.

~~APPROVED BY THE GOVERNOR JULY 10, 2009.~~

~~FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE JULY 13, 2009.~~